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TAGS: PINT, WA

SUBJECT: NAMIBIA: COMPOSITION OF COUNCIL OF MINISTERS RESOLVED

1. PRESS REPORTED MARCH 8 THAT CONSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEE REACHED CONSENSUS ON COMPOSITION OF COUNCIL OF MINISTERS OF INTERIM GOVERNMENT. OVAMBOS HAD REQUESTED TWO MINISTERS ON BASIS THEIR LARGE POPULATION. SOLUTION REACHED WAS THAT EACH OF THE ELEVEN ETHNIC GROUPS WILL HAVE ONE MINISTER. IN ADDITION, OVAMBOS WILL BE ALLOWED "ONE FULL TIME DEPUTY MINISTER" WHILE ALL OTHER GROUPS WILL HAVE "ONE PART TIME DEPUTY MINISTER."

2. FINAL MAJOR ISSUE TO BE RESOLVED IS POSITION OF PRIME MINISTER. WHITE CONSERVATIVES HAVE OPPOSED CREATION OF OFFICE
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OF THIS TYPE, RECOMMENDING INSTEAD THAT A CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS BE ELECTED ON A ROTATING BASIS.

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